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Type of Incident: Traffic Accident

Date and Time of Incident: September 18, 2012 9:00 P.M.

Location: 700 Block of East Green Dr.

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Incident Narrative: On Tuesday 18 Sep 2012 at approximately 9:00 p.m., a 2011 Yamaha motorcycle operated by Donald Deroy King W/M/47 of Trinity was traveling east on W. Green Dr. from S Lindsay St.. King was traveling in the wrong direction on Green Dr. As King reached the intersection of E. Green Dr. and Park St, he collided with the median in this intersection. King became airborne and separated from his motorcycle. His head struck the curb as he landed. King suffered a massive brain injury as a result of this crash. At 1630 on 23 Sep 2012, King's family withdrew care at WFBMC where he died a short time later. This was the seventh traffic fatality this year.

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